

PUBLIC LEDGER



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ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



EVERY MAN WHO ISN'T.
I've never made a million through
A sudden rise in stocks;
No man has ever died and left
To me a stack of rocks;
I've never yet turned out a book
That made a hit and brought
Me such a fortune as the heirs
To "David Harum" got.
I've never chanced, somehow, to buy
A gold mine for a song;
No play of mine has ever caught
The fancy of the throng;
I've never had a chance to wed
A lady with a wad;
Few roses have been strewn along
The paths that I have trod.
I never have owned Texas land,
And so the oil wells there
Have never made and never can
Make me a millionaire;
But there is one who thinks I'm grand,
Who says if I could get
A show I'd be the greatest man
The world has seen as yet.
Ah, well, she may be wrong; I tell
Her that she is, that I
Am one of those fabled ones
Forgotten when they die;
But she insists that I should dwell
Upon the dazzling height,
And in my heart of hearts I can't
Help thinking that she's right.
Chicago Record-Herald.

POSITIVELY

Copy for "changes" in advertisements MUST be sent in before 2 o'clock on the previous day.

52 If you have an item of news, please call up The Ledger, Telephone 33, and let us have it.

Christmas Toilet Sets at Ray's.

With every \$1 cash purchase you get a ticket entitling to a chance on an elegant Diamond Ring, to be given away February 1st at MURPHY, the Jeweler.

PEANUT CRISP!

Delicious and fresh. Two pounds for 25 Cents. Order a one pound can St. Nicholas Mocha and Java. It is the very best.

OPPOSITE G. W. GEISEL, OPERA-HOUSE.

See Ray's line of Christmas Goods.

Mr. John T. Parker shipped a carload of horses to Clarkburg, W. Va. for Stuart & Price this morning.

Miss Grace Redmond has accepted a position with the Schroeder Harness Factory as book-keeper and stenographer.

Messrs. Ed. Glenn, Simon Crowell and Frank Bitel, popular saloonists, are giving handsome prizes to their patrons. A ticket with every purchase.

It is not necessary to tell you that last night was a cold one. At 6 o'clock it was down to 15 and this morning at 6 o'clock it registered 9 above zero.

Six Negroes were arrested at Pembroke Saturday night charged with the murder of an unknown white man near Pembroke. They murdered the man for money. The first one arrested implicated five others, who were promptly arrested. They mutilated the body and attempted to burn it.

The old faithful family carriage horse of Mr. J. James Wood became impatient while standing in front of the drugstore Saturday at dusk and took a notion to go home without his master. He trotted up Market and in turning the corner at Third slipped and fell on the icy street. He soon regained his feet and continued his winding way to his home in Forest avenue.

Rev. A. M. Banker preached his first sermon at the Third street M. E. Church yesterday, which was acceptable in all its parts. The LEDGER extends the Reverent gentleman a cordial welcome in our midst with the hope that his coming will be of much good to the community. He was transferred from the West Virginia to the Kentucky Conference.

Don't fail to see us before making a selection. Our line of Diamonds, Gold Watches, Cut Glass, Sterling Toilet Articles, Sterling Table Pieces, Hand Bags, Letter Books, Pocket-books, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, are up-to-date. Remember our gift proposition—ticket with every \$4 purchase. Diamond ring given away.

MURPHY, the Jeweler.



JAMES FANT.

The venerable James Fant passed away shortly after noon yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mollie Pearce, in Covington.

Mr. Fant was formerly one of Fleming county's prominent citizens, and was very well known in Maysville.

He was in the ninetieth year of his age, and leaves three children, Mrs. Pearce, Miss Lida Fant and Mr. Charles Fant.

The funeral will take place in Covington at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. The remains will be brought here at 1:30 over the C. and O., and taken direct to the Maysville Cemetery for interment.

Pocket Books and Card Cases at Ray's.

Mr. Henry D. Wood slipped Friday on the ice and sprained his ankle.

Congressman Kehoe has introduced a bill for the relief of William Large.

Stop for sale at the Limestone Distillery, on and after December 11th.

Black diphtheria is said to be raging in the Southern section of Bracken county.

The hemp warehouse of Logan Bros. & Haggin burned at Lexington. Loss \$25,000.

Holiday goods which you want and at prices to please at The Racket, 40 West Second street. L. H. YOUNG & CO.

The damage at the Augusta stove foundry caused by the explosion of the boiler, is estimated at \$7,000. The plant belongs to T. H. Hunsfeld of Cincinnati.

Go to O. H. P. Thomas & Co., 120 and 122 Market street, for the purest and best Whiskies, Brandies, Wines and Gin. Goods guaranteed.

The plaintiff in the Whayne life insurance case gained a verdict for the full amount asked \$74,286. A verdict was found quickly in Judge Gordon's Court at Louisville Saturday.

The funeral of Mrs. W. G. Bradford occurred at Ashland Saturday. She was Miss Tillie Price, born in this city April 15th, 1843, married to Captain W. G. Bradford at Ashland December 20th, 1866, and had with her husband resided in Ironton since 1870.

The funeral of Mr. Joseph H. Brown took place yesterday at 10:30 from the Christian Church, after services by Rev. R. E. Moss. A large number of our older citizens were present to pay their last respects to their old-time friend and esteemed citizen.

The will of Timothy McAuliffe, deceased, was admitted to record with Charles McAuliffe named as Executor. He gives to his daughter, Hannah M. McAuliffe, known in religion as Sister Mary Anthony, the sum of \$300; to his son Charles F. and his daughter Catherine P. Ryan the remainder of his estate, share and share alike.

Judge Hutchins has obtained increases of pensions for Joseph Cooper of Helena at rate of \$10 per month from September 4th, 1903, and George Moore of Washington at rate of \$10 per month from September 2, 1903.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION

Body of One Unfortunate Man Blown Into Three States

While thawing out dynamite in a railway camp at Kenova Saturday afternoon an explosion occurred, and F. A. Johnson, a contractor of Lynchburg, Va., lost both legs.

John C. Black, a laborer, was blown to pieces, parts being found in West Virginia and Kentucky, and it being impossible to locate that portion of his body which landed in Ohio.

This may sound fishy; but Kenova is at the junction of the boundaries of three states—Kentucky, Ohio and Virginia—hence its name, Kenova.

JOHN R. PROCTER

His Sudden Death at Washington—Native of Mason County

John R. Procter, President of the United States Civil Service Commission and former State Geologist of Kentucky, died Saturday in Washington after a few hours' illness of angina pectoris.

He was born in Mason county, March 16th, 1844, and was therefore in his 60th year.

His early education was received at the school of Rand & Richeson in this city, and subsequently he entered the University of Pennsylvania, leaving that institution in 1864 to join the Confederate Army.

After the War he resided in this city, where he married Miss Julia Dobyns, sister of Mr. C. C. Dobyns.

In 1873 he became connected with the Kentucky Geological Survey, later becoming State Geologist.

When that office was discontinued Professor Procter was appointed Civil Service Commissioner by President Cleveland, and for several years he had been President of the Commission. He was a close personal friend of President Roosevelt.

Besides his wife, Mr. Procter leaves two sons, one of whom, Morton Procter, is a Lieutenant in the Navy, now stationed at Norfolk. The other, John R. Procter, Jr., is a Lieutenant in the Army, stationed in the Philippines.

One Hundred Dollars a Box

Is the value that H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. Sold by J. Jas. Wood & Son, Druggists.

Meet me at Milla's Edsonia, Fountain Square.

The weather Saturday night was a peach by the watch.

Bring all your Furs; you'll get top value. B. ZEFF, 40 East Front street.

His many friends in Maysville will deeply regret to hear that Mr. George H. Owens fell a few days ago on the street in St. Louis and broke one of his arms.

Buy your Christmas goods early at The Racket, 40 W. Second. L. H. YOUNG & CO.

It has been customary for cigar dealers to break the top of the cigar box entirely off for convenience in exposing the cigars in their show cases. A recent ruling by the revenue department says that this practice is in violation of the law. The stamp, it is held, must remain intact and attached in its entirety except in so far as it is necessary to break it to open the box.

End-of-the-season bargains in Millinery at Mrs. L. V. Davis's.

Lewis Bell, little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Threlkeld, has been quite ill for several days.

We have the "Redden" stock of Monuments now in our shops, and will offer them and all of our stock away below regular price. Come and see. MURRAY & THOMAS.

The first good sledding of the season was enjoyed yesterday by Young America. They were taking full advantage of the day and opportunity for this exciting and exhilarating sport and pastime.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says, "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." There are people in this community who need just such a medicine. For sale by J. Jas. Wood & Son. Every box warranted.

Take Time By the Forelock!

The rush of Christmas shopping has begun and it will grow bigger every day. Don't procrastinate, each day's delay means more hurried shopping. Come early in the morning when customers are few and clerks have ample time to wait on you, and above all don't miss a disagreeable day, whether its rain, snow or cold, that keeps the many home, you be among the few to seize the chance for leisure-buying.

CHRISTMAS BLANKETS.

Beauties to adorn the gift list of any housekeeper Blanket selling this year has outstripped all previous records and its worth money to you to understand the reason and be guided to this one best blanket store. Remember it isn't what we say that sells our Blankets, it is what the Blankets are—unusual values. We scanned the market very carefully before buying and we confidently state all our Blankets, from the 59c cotton one to the all-wool

beauty at \$7.50 are of unusual merit. We lay special stress on our \$5 Blanket. We have narrowed profits to the limit in this line to make HUNT'S the banner \$5 Blanket in the Maysville market. It can't be approached in quality for \$5 anywhere.

And Blankets suggest Bedspreads. Here sold best because gathered best—our order reaching a big number at a time. \$1 crocheted spreads in Marseilles patterns, spreads to be proud of as giver or receiver. Other attractive qualities at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, up to royal beauties of genuine Marseilles at \$5.

Men's Imported Silk Mufflers

Just exactly the rich, artistic patterns wanted for Christmas, and every muffler 32 inches square, not 30 inches, as are so many sold for full size. A splendid gift for any man, and so easy to send by mail. Perhaps you expected to pay \$1.50, well, these are only \$1 but look double the price; others up to \$1.50 and down to 50c.

D. HUNT & SON.

Xmas Perfumes at Ray's; bottle and bulk.

Representative Kehoe has introduced a bill granting an increase of pension to John H. Groves.

Yesterday afternoon while paying a call at the residence of Rev. Father P. M. Jones in East Third street, the double team which Father DeBrynn had left standing at the curbing unhitched ran off down Third making their way for Mayslick. They were caught before they had gone far and without damage to the vehicle.

WERE NOT HERE

Strict Search Failed to Uncover Den of Local Counterfeiters.

M. P. Bolan, one of the brightest of Uncle Sam's Secret Service men, accompanied by a Cincinnati Detective, was in the city several days ago in quest of a gang of counterfeiters said to be here.

One of the number had been arrested in an Ohio city and squealed on his pals giving this city as their hiding and abiding place.

Notwithstanding the aid given by the entire police force and a thorough scour of all places likely to harbor such characters, the search proved fruitless and the fly men came to the conclusion that they had been bamboozled by the wily counterfeiter now in the toils and put on the wrong trail in order to give the rest of the gang an opportunity to put time and distance between them and danger.

Dolls, Toys and Fancy China at The Racket, 40 W. Second. L. H. YOUNG & CO.

Misses Tillie Parker, Edwin Walters, Nellie Greenlee and Messrs. Ben Greenlee, Russell Greenlee, Henry Newell and Fred Moroney were baptized and received in full fellowship at the Baptist Church last night after an excellent sermon by the Pastor, Rev. H. T. Musselman.

ANOTHER RICHMOND

Burley Tobacco Growers' Association Has Competitor

Articles incorporating the Burley Loose Tobacco Warehouse Company of Lexington, with a capital stock of \$100,000, were filed in the Fayette County Clerk's office Saturday.

C. H. Bohmer of Clarksville, Tenn., is in a great measure responsible for this company. He went to Lexington three weeks ago and was not long in convincing local business men and capitalists that Lexington could be made as good a tobacco market as Clarksville, Louisville or Cincinnati.

The personnel of the Company is composed of Lexington's most substantial business men. W. J. Loughridge will probably be President.

The business of the concern will be to buy tobacco loose from the growers, and in this field it will be a strong competitor of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Association.

It expects to handle from 20,000,000 to 30,000,000 pounds of burley tobacco annually.

HOME NEWS.

Of Interest to Everyone in Maysville.

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all," but here in Maysville we only publish statements made by Maysville people—the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Mrs. Pierce Mills of 922 Forest avenue says: "The experience Mr. Mills had with Doan's Kidney Pills gave him a high appreciation of their value. He procured them at J. Jas. Wood & Son's Drugstore, corner of West Second and Market streets. The results obtained led him to speak in high praise of this effective kidney remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.



KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN CADETS.
Regular meeting this evening at 7:00 o'clock. All members requested to be present.
L. CLARK, President.



REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL NO. 16 THIS EVENING AT 7:00 O'CLOCK. All members are requested to be present.
GEORGE CONNORS, Councilor.
JEN T. SMITH, Secretary.



MAYSVILLE LODGE, F. and A. M.
Stated meeting of Maysville Lodge No. 52, F. and A. M., tonight at 7:30 at Masonic Temple. Visiting Brothers invited.
HIRSH P. CHENOWETH, W. M.
Gordon Sulser, Secretary.



PISGAH ENCAMPMENT.
Pisgah Encampment No. 9, I. O. O. F., will meet at 7:00 this evening. Visiting Patriarchs cordially invited.
LUCIEN P. BARKER, C. P.
John W. Thompson, Scribe.

WE GIVE
GLOBE TRADING STAMPS.



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THE BIG STORE IS A PUBLIC INSTITUTION—

75,000 articles gathered here under one roof for your Christmas selections.

Handkerchiefs.

We sell more this month than we do the balance of the year.
Ladies' all linen initial, special 10c
Ladies' emb. 10, 12 1/2, 15, 18, 25, 35, 50c
Men's fancy, special 10c
Men's plain 10, 12 1/2, 15, 25, 35, 50c
Men's fancy silk 25c and 50c
Silk muffs 25c to \$1.50
Men's all linen initial, 6 in box \$1.50
Children's, special, 3 in box, all initial 25c

Ladies' hose, 3 pr in box, for \$1.00
New books, reg. price \$1.50, our price . . . \$1.19
Ladies' neckwear 25c to \$1.98
Dolls from 10c up. But see our famous Lillian, 22 1/2 in. high for \$1.19.
See the 25c table.
Medallions, 10c up to 98c.
Pictures, all prices.
Collar boxes, a beauty \$1.98
Necktie boxes \$1.25
Shaving sets \$1.25

Handkerchief boxes, \$1.00 and up.
We are sole agents for Keiser's hand-made neckwear, 25c and up.
Albums, 25c up to \$3.50.
See the 25c table.
Men's neckwear 25c and 50c

Table Linen.

A new line today, just opened, beautiful styles, quality best, prices lowest. Linens certainly make a grand Xmas present.

Xmas goods now ready; visit our new store.
More room, more light, more goods, than any other store in Northern Kentucky.

KINGS OF
LOW PRICES.

MERZ BROS.

PROPRIETORS
BEE HIVE.

STORE OPEN
TONIGHT
AND
EVERY NIGHT
UNTIL
CHRISTMAS.

Thomas A. Sayle

OFFICE—PUBLIC LEDGER BUILDING, MAYSVILLE, KY.

SUBSCRIPTIONS—BY MAIL.
One Year.....\$3 00
Six Months.....1 50
Three Months.....75
DELIVERED BY CARRIER.
Per Month.....25 Cents
Payable to Collector at end of Month.

Just keep your shirt on, and you'll see how near THE LEDGER is right when it says Mr. ROOSEVELT will never be elected President of the United States.

The Courier-Journal says the tight money market has kept the big distillers from opening their houses for the fall crop of whisky. This, at least, shows the good judgment of the money market, which preferred to get tight on something a trifle better than new whisky.

ALTHOUGH it was given out that Mr. GEORGE B. Cox, the Republican leader of Cincinnati, had been invited by the President to do the Booker Washington act and "talk it over with him," Mr. Cox, on his arrival in Washington from New York, went at once to Mr. HANNA's rooms at the Arlington and had an hour's close conference with him, leaving the city a little later without putting his feet under the White House mahogany.

It's astonishing how many persons wait for a "leader," and then it's astonishing some more how many are waiting to follow the lead of the leader. A few weeks ago it was hard to find a man who had nerve enough to say a word against Mr. ROOSEVELT's absolute ownership of the next Presidential nomination; but now that several acknowledged Republican newspapers have had the independence to oppose his candidacy, anti-Roosevelt men have become as numerous as cornucopias around a country school-house.

RESIDENTS of Asbury Park, N. J., who invested \$200,000 in the Frazer Mountain Copper Company of New Mexico, have been surprised by the announcement that the concern has gone into the hands of a receiver; that it owes \$107,000 and has \$7 in its treasury, and that it has no title to the mining property it has been assuming to operate. The only surprising thing about the whole affair is the presence in the treasury of \$7. That must certainly have been overlooked by some negligent official.

THE New Sun recently had this triple-leaded editorial on "The Republican Disaster in the State of New York"—

"BENJAMIN B. ODELL's attitude of unconcealed hostility toward and undisguised contempt for President ROOSEVELT has been completely put aside, and the appearance of a very respectable and friendly assiduity has been substituted therefor. There is not a Republican in the state of New York who misunderstands the meaning of it, and not an honest and intelligent Republican whose heart is not filled with dismay at the prospect. It is the blackest outlook that the Republican party has ever had to face in the state.

"And there is no avenue or channel of redemption! No way in which the infamy, the confusion and the humiliation, the treachery, the corruption, the graft, and the pollution of state and party can be put aside! Mr. ROOSEVELT's most implacable enemies could never have conceived for him the disaster which is already and irrevocably his. And of all the Union, in his own state, New York!"

If any opposition within the Republican party to the nomination of President ROOSEVELT takes the concrete form of an avowed candidacy against him, it will then be proper and timely to discuss the matter. Until this condition exists only harm is done the cause of Republicanism by thinly-veiled attacks upon the only candidate who, so far as is known, will be named before the Republican National Convention when it meets next summer.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Will the esteemed Times-Star be kind enough to explain just how the opposition to Mr. ROOSEVELT is to assume "concrete form?" Is this new "concrete" to be composed of equal parts of indifference and quietude and moral cowardice? Are the rank and file of the Republican party to be hoodooed by party leaders and newspapers that are afraid to sound the alarm? It has come to a pretty pass, to be sure, when any one man has so hypnotized the people and the press that they must, in true hypnotic style, do only as he directs. THE LEDGER desires the success of the Republican party, and it wants a nominee for the Presidency who can at least carry his own state;—which Mr. ROOSEVELT, as the candidate for President, cannot do."

THE Louisville Post wisely says it would be difficult to estimate the loss entailed on laborers and employers by ill-advised strikes in 1903. These strikes are doing good only in one direction; they make the "open shop" most attractive to the employers of America, and to the men who prefer to work to being idle a part of every year.

THE Washington correspondent of The Louisville Times, noting the reported "combine" between Congressman W. GODFREY HUNTER and Commissioner JOHN W. YERKES, says—

"The announcement came as a shock to those who knew that Dr. HUNTER and Mr. YERKES had not been on speaking terms since the session of the Kentucky Legislature in 1895. . . . If the Yerkes-Hunter combination, now in process of formation, should be effected, Kentucky Republicans who still declare allegiance to the leadership of W. O. BRADLEY may as well give up all hope of securing political preferment, for the present at least."

The whereof of which is that the real Republicans of Kentucky—those who are loyal to the only man who ever led the Republican party of the state to decisive victory—are to be ostracised because they have the manhood to remain true to him.

Neither Governor BRADLEY nor his friends will sacrifice the best interests of the party for the sake of Federal office; they compose the best element of the party, and are capable of making their way through the world without becoming pensioners on Uncle Sam's official bounty.

UNDER the caption, "Is Roosevelt as Big as We Think Him?" The Cincinnati Commercial Tribune says The New York World, in a telegram from Washington, states that Senator PLATT, within the last few days, informed the President "that the Republican party in New York state outside the City of New York was in good condition, but in the city itself there was defection in the ranks." The Senator from New York is recognized everywhere as an able, shrewd, experienced politician. His word is good, his opinion sound, his judgment usually correct.

When he stated to the President that defection exists in New York City he stated absolute truth—an unwelcome truth to all Republicans, but one that should not be kept from the voters of the party in any precinct of the Union.

This is not information to be whispered in the Cabinet Room of the White House, or to be locked in the breasts of a select few for discussion with bated breath only in the corridors of the Executive Mansion, while the honest voters of the party are not to hear of it until too late to avoid disaster.

The Senator from New York, yea, both Senators from New York, and many Senators from other states, representatives and lay members of the party, know too well that this defection exists, has existed for more than three years, and for the last two years it has spread like a virulent, eating ulcer, until it has sapped the vitality and threatens the existence of the party if Mr. ROOSEVELT leads.

Defection in the City of New York! Does that not mean the loss of the electoral vote in New York state? Is that not a red flag of warning in itself? Does not that signify danger in the Presidential election? Why in the name of Justice and Truth is not this information heralded and published in every School District of the country so that the Republican voters can realize the full significance of the danger before making a nomination that may insure defeat?

Megaphone it to every Republican in the land, that they may select their representatives to the National Convention intelligently, and be fully informed upon the difficulties we have to encounter.

Now is the time to take the voters into full confidence upon this all-important situation in New York. It will be too late after the nominations are made. Every man who votes the Republican ticket is entitled to this information.

Political Pickings

OR SACRIFICE YOUR MANHOOD!

Grayson Tribune.

It does seem that about the easiest and swiftest way to get an office is to bolt the Democratic party, or get sore and threaten to bolt the Republican party, and the aforesaid office is immediately forthcoming, and the true and tried and faithful party worker is left out in the cold to root hog or die. Such dampfool politics will soon make a remnant of our party in Kentucky.

RUBBERS

Deteriorate rapidly with age. Any experienced dealer could tell you that the life of an overshoe is very brief after it has been in stock more than a season. The New Shoe Store hasn't been in business long enough to accumulate any left-overs, therefore we offer a stock of RUBBERS and FELT BOOTS that is this season's output of the best factories in the world, and ask no more for them than others want for old goods. Besides, a purchase here may return you more in Christmas awards than will be required to shoe your whole family for a year.

W. R. SMITH & CO.

Latest Markets

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12, 1903.

CATTLE.
Good to choice shippers.....\$3.50@4.35
Extra.....4.40@4.75
Butcher steers, good to choice.....3.40@4.25
Extra.....4.35@4.40
Common to fair.....2.25@3.25
Heifers, good to choice.....2.85@3.50
Extra.....3.65@3.85
Common to fair.....2.00@2.75
Cows, good to choice.....2.40@3.15
Extra.....3.25@3.40
Common to fair.....1.25@2.25
Scalawags.....1.00@1.75
Bulls, bolognas.....2.60@3.00
Extra.....3.00@3.50

CALVES.
Extra.....\$6.25@6.50
Fair to good.....5.25@6.00
Common and large.....3.00@5.25

HOGS.
Selected, medium and heavy.....\$4.50@4.55
Good to choice packers.....4.00@4.65
Mixed packers.....4.45@4.55
Stags.....2.75@4.50
Common to choice heavy sows.....3.50@4.30
Light shippers.....4.30@4.45
Pigs—110 lbs and less.....3.75@4.25

SHEEP.
Extra.....\$3.30@3.40
Good to choice.....2.85@3.25
Common to fair.....1.50@2.75

LAMBS.
Extra light fat butchers.....\$5.50@5.60
Good to choice heavy.....5.00@5.40
Common to fair.....4.00@4.90
Yearlings.....3.50@4.25

EGGS.
Fresh near-by stock, round lots, 28 @.....
Held stock, loss off.....26 @.....
Goose.....50 @.....
Duck.....30 @.....

BUTTER.
Fancy Elgin creamery, 1/2 lb.....27 @.....
Ohio fancy.....25 @.....
Seconds.....22 1/2 @.....
Dairy.....12 1/2 @.....

POULTRY.
Springers.....8 @.....
Fryers.....4 @ 5 @.....
Hens.....7 1/2 @.....
Roosters.....5 @.....
Ducks, old.....11 @ 12 @.....
Spring turkeys.....14 1/2 @.....
Culls.....5 @ 8 @.....
Geese, per dozen.....\$4.00@6.00

FLOUR.
Winter patent.....\$4.30@4.50
Winter fancy.....3.75@3.90
Winter family.....3.30@3.50
Extra.....2.70@2.90
Low grade.....2.50@2.65
Spring patent.....4.60@4.95
Spring fancy.....4.00@4.25
Spring family.....3.90@4.15
Rye, Northwestern.....3.25@3.40
Rye, city.....3.25@3.40

WHEAT.
No. 2 red winter.....89 1/2 @ 90 @.....
No. 3 red winter.....88 1/2 @ 89 @.....
No. 4 red winter.....87 @ 87 1/2 @.....
Rejected.....80 @ 86 @.....
Old No. 2 red.....78 1/2 @ 83 @.....

CORN.
No. 2 white.....43 @ 43 1/2 @.....
No. 2 white mixed.....45 @ 46 @.....
No. 3 white.....46 @ 46 1/2 @.....
No. 2 yellow.....44 @ 44 @.....
No. 3 yellow.....43 @ 44 @.....
No. 2 mixed.....46 @ 46 @.....
No. 3 mixed.....45 1/2 @ 46 1/2 @.....
Rejected.....41 @ 42 @.....
White ear.....45 @ 46 @.....
Yellow ear.....46 @ 48 @.....
Mixed ear.....45 1/2 @ 46 1/2 @.....

OATS.
No. 2 white.....40 1/2 @ 41 @.....
No. 3 white.....39 @ 39 1/2 @.....
No. 4 white.....38 @ 38 1/2 @.....
Rejected.....36 @ 38 @.....
No. 2 mixed.....38 1/2 @ 39 @.....
No. 3 mixed.....37 1/2 @ 38 @.....
No. 4 mixed.....37 @ 37 1/2 @.....
Rejected.....35 @ 37 @.....

RYE.
No. 2 Northwestern.....61 1/2 @ 62 @.....
No. 2.....59 @ 61 @.....
No. 3.....57 @ 59 @.....
Rejected.....51 @ 56 @.....

HAY.
Choice timothy.....\$12.75@13.00
No. 1 timothy.....12.50@13.00
No. 2 timothy.....11.00@11.50
No. 3 timothy.....9.50@10.00
No. 1 clover mixed.....10.25@10.75
No. 2 clover mixed.....9.25@ 9.75
No. 1 clover.....10.50@11.00
No. 2 clover.....9.50@10.00

Shirts, Collars, Neckwear

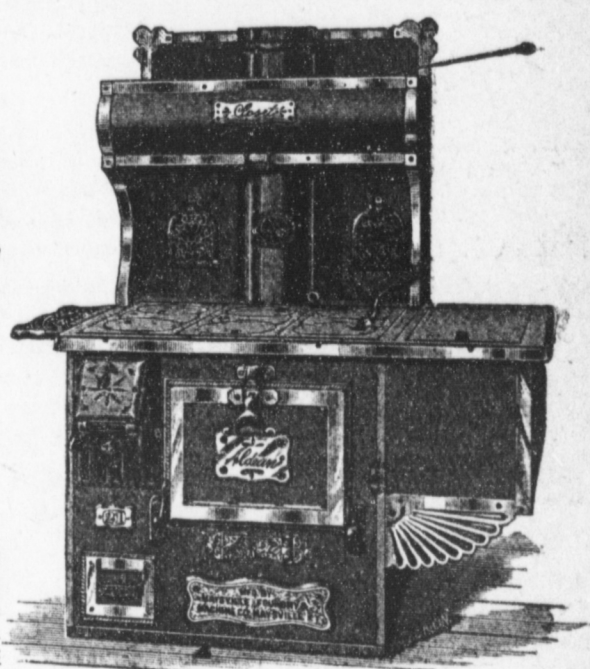
Are necessities and are appreciated by a man more than anything else. We are selling in Shirts stiff, soft or plaited bosoms at \$1.50, \$1 and 50c. Collars, any style,—tabs and wings are the proper shapes. Neckwear that when you see you will agree with us to be pretty; the shapes are English, Square and Ascot; 50c is the price.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO.

This... RANGE

Is manufactured by the Maysville Foundry and Machine Company and sold direct from their factory. We give the consumer the benefit by selling direct. For the next thirty days we will sell this Range at

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WE WILL ALSO RETAIL

STOVE CASTINGS 5c. Pound.

Don't pay 8c per pound for stove repairs when we will furnish them for 5c. Our motto, Small Profits.

MAYSVILLE FOUNDRY AND MACHINE CO.

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OFFICE, No. 32 West Third street, From 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p. m.
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No. 244 Dr. A. G. BROWNING, Residence.

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Dr. T. H. N. SMITH,
RELIABLE DENTISTRY.
Removed to No. 8 West Second Street, Next to J. Jas. Wood & Son's Drugstore.
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FRESH.....
AND CLEAN!

TOO GOOD TO LAST LONG

COAL

"IT BURNS!"

Our Coal is more perfect than any similar mineral body offered. Composed of the greatest percentage of carbon, its combustion is free but not fast, and the quantity of waste matter is very small.

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DOWNTOWN OFFICE,
M'CARTEY'S JEWELRY STORE.

'PHONE 69.

RAILWAY TIME CARDS.

MAYSVILLE DIVISION
Leaves.
5:40 a. m. 1:15 p. m.
Arrives.
9:50 a. m. 8:1 p. m.
All daily except Sunday.

ARRIVALS AT MAYSVILLE.
No. 6. 9:55 a. m.
No. 2. 1:30 p. m.
No. 20. 5:45 p. m.
No. 8. 8:15 p. m.
No. 9. 10:41 p. m.
No. 7. 5:30 a. m.
No. 1. 6:15 a. m.
No. 19. 8:40 a. m.
No. 3. 1:35 p. m.
No. 31. 4:30 p. m.
*Daily.
†Daily except Sunday.

FRANKFORT AND CINCINNATI RAILWAY.

Frankfort, Cincinnati, Louisville, and Maysville.
Go Down. VIA PARIS AND E. C. Read Up.
P. M. A. M. P. M. A. M. P. M. A. M.
1:55 6:50 Lv. Richmond At 12:45 7:30
2:45 7:09 " Winchester " 11:42 6:11
1:15 5:40 " Mayfield " 8:45 5:15
5:42 8:30 " Paris " 5:30 5:56
6:18 10:28 " Georgetown " 7:45 4:30
7:15 11:20 At Frankfort Lv. 6:50 3:30

Larry

THE PLUMBER

HOT WATER HEATING AND STEAM FITTING.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

No. 117 Sutton Street, West Side.

State National Bank,

OF MAYSVILLE, KY.

Capital Stock, \$100,000
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27 E. Second street. MAYSVILLE, KY.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a **Home of Swamp-Root** pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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PUBLIC LEADER

MAYSVILLE, KY.

Maysville Weather.

What May Be Expected During the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEADER'S ODE.
 White streamer - Fair;
 Blue - Rain or Snow;
 Black above - Will warmer grow
 Black beneath - Colder 'twill be;
 If Black's not shown no change we'll see.
 The above forecasts are made at a period of thirty days, ending at 6 o'clock tomorrow eve.

Mr. Henry Brown and Miss Omie Dixon, both of the West End, were married yesterday at the residence of the bride in Short street.

MANY MORE REDMEN

Buffalo Tribe No. 100 at Sardis - List of Charter Members



Buffalo Tribe No. 100, I. O. R. M., will be instituted at Sardis on Wednesday evening by Great Chief of Records Henry W. Ray, assisted by the Degree Team of Wyandotte Tribe.

Walter C. Wormald, Special Deputy of Great Sachem Horace J. McFarlan, is Organizer.

Below may be found the list of excellent citizens who will compose the charter membership—

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| T. H. Tomlin, | E. L. Mastin, |
| O. H. Adamson, | B. G. Grady, |
| W. B. Wells, | Andrew Wells, |
| E. P. Suit, | R. O. Chambers, |
| Archie Dillon, | W. T. Grover, |
| Ernest Henson, | W. D. Manley, |
| W. E. Bricker, | T. H. Fowler, |
| I. J. Gallagher, | J. H. Grady, Jr., |
| P. R. Wheatley, | J. F. Wheeler, |
| W. A. Smith, | Garrett Case, |
| W. F. Wheeler, | W. H. Howard, |
| George M. Orme, | John H. Clark, |
| James A. Myall, | John M. Hildreth, |
| Walter Duncan, | L. G. Hamilton, |
| Dr. Walter Chandler, | Charles Tomlin, |
| Charles Frederick, | R. T. Watson, |
| L. A. Bratton, | Thomas Manley, |
| Sheridan Buchanan, | James Wells, |
| Earl McDowell, | John C. Rigg, |
| C. H. Newman, | Sam H. Jefferson, |
| J. N. Wallingford, | W. G. Downing, |
| G. W. Bratton, | Fred Grover, |
| G. T. Cates, | Abel A. Rees, |
| C. D. T. Hill, | J. E. Hland, |
| Hamor Wells, | Walker Johnson, |
| James Gault, | Elmer Applegate, |
| Charles Manley, | Robert Loderbach, |
| George Rhodes, | Yankee Stroud, |
| Tom Rees, | John Henderson, |
| Ed Grover, | Isaac Manley, |

Better Than a Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated muscular and rheumatic pains. Sold by J. Jas. Wood & Son.

Personal

Mrs. H. B. Daugharty is visiting relatives in Covington.

Mr. John McCarahan of Cottageville was in the city Saturday.

Miss Florence Hays leaves today to spend the winter in California.

Mr. Charles H. White is spending some time with relatives at Erlanger.

Misses Carrie and Bessie Hornback of Burtonville are the guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Susan Kilpatrick returned this morning from a visit to her brother, Mr. John Gray of Helena.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Metcalfe of this county were registered Saturday at the Palace Hotel, Cincinnati.

Miss Frances Gault of Washington and Miss Jessie Rains of this city are guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Gault of Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Robinson of Charleston, W. Va., were registered at the New Central yesterday. Mr. Robinson is proprietor of the St. Albert Hotel at Charleston.

Frank Fawcett colored, died this morning at 4:30 at his home in Third street.

For the past two weeks Uncle Sam's secret service and revenue men have been fitting in and out the city apparently on mysterious missions. What's up?

THE LATEST AND BIGGEST OF RURAL DRAMA SUCCESSES.

The Academy of Music has had many notable successes on its stage, and among them have been the leading rural dramas with phenomenal runs, but the latest and biggest success in this class of plays is "Quincy Adams Sawyer." The pure country atmosphere that pervades the play, the quaint and simple story, the naturalness of the scenes, and the wholesome good nature of many of the amusing incidents—these are the qualities in "Quincy Adams Sawyer" that will doubtless please the patrons of the Washington Opera-house when the entire production is brought here Monday, December 21st.

Notice.

The election of Directors for the Mason County Building and Saving Association for the ensuing year will take place at the Council Chamber on December 26th, 1903, at 7 o'clock p. m. desist th-sa 71 THOS. M. RUSSELL, Sec.

PILLOW TOPS

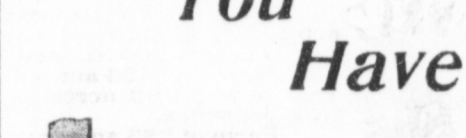
Special Sale.

Unapproachable Bargains.

25c buys Tops worth up to 50c.
 50c buys Tops, choice of all Tops in the house, most of them are the dollar kind.
 12c buys Pillow Cases worth 19c to 25c.
 25c buys Mercerized Cords worth 35c.
 45c buys Handsome Silk Cords worth up to 75c.
 See the many New Holiday Goods.
 My 10c Picture Sale is the wonder bargain of the city. See them.
 Attractive Display of Suitable Christmas Presents for all sizes in Purses.
 Yours for the right Goods at the right price,

Robert L. Hoeflich,
 211, 213 Market Street.

Would You Have



ANYTHING AS DANGEROUS as a can of powder sitting on your cooking range? No, indeed, you would not. Well, a can of powder is not one half as dangerous as a water back in your range, for they are liable to explode at any time without the slightest warning, but they are perfectly harmless when they are equipped with

Traxel's Patent
 Safety Appliance.

You had better place order for one. They are more essential than bread on your table, for they will save your property and perhaps your life.

Letters from Women

Cured by the use of Kodol are received daily. Their troubles nearly all begin with indigestion or other stomach disorder.

If the food you eat fails to give strength to your body, it is because the juices secreted by the stomach and digestive organs are inadequate to transform the nutrient properties of the food into blood. That is indigestion. The system is deprived of the amount of nourishment required to keep up the strength, and the result is that one or more of the delicate organs gradually grow weak, and then weaker, until finally it is diseased. Here a great mistake is made. That of treating the diseased organ. The best doctors in the land make this very mistake. Why should they? It is so easy to see that the trouble is not there.

Kodol Cures

This famous remedy puts the stomach and digestive organs in a healthy condition so that rich, red blood is sent coursing through the veins and arteries of every muscle, tissue and fiber throughout every organ of the entire body, and by Nature's law of health, full strength and vigor is soon restored to each.

Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. I have taken Kodol for nearly two months after each meal and it is the only remedy that gave relief from the terrible pains I endured. After a time I would take it but once a day, and now, while I keep a bottle handy I seldom need it, as it has cured me. Mrs. J. W. COOLBAUGH, Milo Center, N. Y.

Kodol Digests What You Eat.

Bottles only, \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO

For sale at J. JAS. WOOD & SON'S Drugstore

WASHINGTON OPERA-HOUSE



Thursday, December 17

"Better than Charlie's Aunt." William E. Gorman's furiously funny farce.

A FRIEND OF THE FAMILY!

From the German of Robert Pohl, adapted for the English stage by R. M. Skinner. Contains much laughter. "Jane," Berlin, Paris and London laughing yet. Miss Alice Johnson, Mr. George W. Barnum and a cast of players.

—PRICES—
 200 seats—Orchestra.....\$1 00
 250 seats—Dress Circle.....75
 115 seats—First Three Rows in Balcony.....75
 135 seats—Balance Balcony.....50
 300 seats—Gallery.....25

Monday, December 21

Big scenic production in play form of "the best New England story ever written."

"It is as sweetly natural as the breath of the fields."—Philadelphia Record.

QUINCY ADAMS SAWYER

—AND—
 Mason's Corner Folks.

Large and excellent company. "One great big laugh from beginning to end, and the sweetest love story ever told."

—PRICES—
 200 seats—Orchestra.....\$1 00
 250 seats—Dress Circle.....75
 115 seats—First Three Rows in Balcony.....75
 135 seats—Balance Balcony.....50
 300 seats—Gallery.....25

Small matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock a. m.

People's Column

No Charge!

Advertisements under the headings of "Help Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all. No Business Advertisements inserted without pay. If answers fail to come the first time, we invite as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We wish advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns. Advertisers must furnish copy, which can be left at the office or sent by mail.

THE PUBLIC LEDGER,
 No. 10 East Third Street.

Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week. WANTED—IRON SAFE—Second hand. Apply to JOHN DULEY, 215 Court Street. de12 1w

Help Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

WANTED—WASHERWOMAN—First class. Apply at once to Mrs. R. B. LOVE, 14 1/2 W.

WANTED—MAN—in a small Mill in the East—states a man who thoroughly understands the manufacturing of rope and cotton batts. Address JAMES E. BODINE, 73 Herman street, Germantown, Pa.

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY LADY OR GENTLEMAN—to manage business in this county and adjoining territory for house of solid financial standing; \$200 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced; position permanent. Address MANAGER, 605 Monon Building, Chicago. de12 1m

For Rent.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR RENT—ROOMS AND FLATS—in Hill House; one flat of seven rooms on first floor; water and gas; rent cheap. Mrs. R. B. LOVE, 14 1/2 W. DAVIS, No. 81 West Second. de12 1w

For Sale.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR SALE—FINE PALM—Apply at 400 East Second street. de12 1t

FOR SALE—HORSE AND PHAETON—And also Walnut Sideboard, on reasonable terms. Apply to Mrs. A. E. COLE. de12 1f

FOR SALE—COMPLETE JOB PRINTING OFFICE EQUIPMENT—Consisting of over 100 fonts of type, cases, stands, rules, borders, Universal jobber, (quarto) slide cutter and everything requisite for a first class country job office. There is enough body type to print a seven column paper. It can be bought for one-fifth its value. Here is a rare chance for some one. For further information address "O." care Ledger office.

Lost.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

LOST—SILVER LINK PURSE—On Wednesday before Thanksgiving, between Hall's Play Factory and the Post office, contained 15c and two pink streetcar tickets. Leave at this office. de12 1w

LOST—FIVE DOLLARS—Between Bank of Maysville and Hechinger's Clothing Store. Finder please return to GEORGE C. FLEMING, 608 East Second street, and receive reward.

Found.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

FOUND—COW—Blind in one eye. Call at Mrs. GEORGE T. HUNTER'S. de12 1w

FOUND—CHILD'S SHOES—Front heel; the owner can have them by calling at H. M. Dryden's Grocery, East Second near Union. 5 1w

Why Waste Your Time

And patience fooling with the old-fashioned churn when at a very small expense you can use the celebrated patent

Oval Churn

The best, simplest and cheap patent churn on the market? Try one and be convinced, for once tried it is always used. Tin Roofing, Guttering and Spouting a specialty.

H. W. Rasp,
 33 West Second Street.

GO TO THE

NEW YORK STORE

For Bargains!

Also, do not forget to take a look at the Beautiful Doll in our East window, to be given to some one. Any one purchasing 25c worth of goods gets a chance, drawing to come off January 1st; also, do not forget that our prices are lower than ever. More about it next time.

HAYS & CO. NEW YORK STORE

P. S.—Owing to the bad weather our Special Bargains advertised for Friday are good for today.

RESTAURANT ROYAL!...

John Wheeler's Old Stand, 204 Market Street.

Miss Annie M. Wallace.

For Ladies and Gentlemen.

Everything new and clean. Oysters and Fish in every style. Lunches at all hours.

Drs. MARKHAM, OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS!

GENERAL PRACTITIONERS! CHRONIC CASES A SPECIALTY!

No. 19 W. Third Street.

TELEPHONE 123.

DR. LANDMAN, CENTRAL HOTEL, THURSDAY, JAN. 7, 1904

PILES

CURED WITHOUT KNIFE. NO PAIN.

DR. C. M. BECKLER, SPECIALIST IN TREATMENT OF PILES, HEMORRHOIDS OF MEN AND WOMEN. Hours, 9 to 5, 7 to 8; Sundays 9 to 12. Phone 1937 N. 313 W. Eighth St., Cincinnati, O.

WHY?

COME and SEE WHY.

WHY men find our \$12 Suits so much better than others sell for the same price.

WHY we always hold our old customers and are constantly winning new ones.

WHY so very many people think this the best store at which to buy Clothing.

WHY YOU should do YOUR trading here.

Come and learn about these and other whys.

Specials for Saturday.

All our \$1 Colored Stiff Bosom Shirts for 65c. Saturday will be the last day of our 88c Underwear Sale. After that day they will cost you \$1. Don't buy elsewhere until you give us a look.

J. WESLEY LEE,

KORREKT KLOTHIER, Second & Market.

DAN COHEN Buys Another Retail STOCK of SHOES!

And will sell them quick. The prices will do it. We will offer them on

Saturday, December 12th,

And the Sale Will Continue Until All Are Sold.

This is one of the cleanest, newest stocks we have had. Come and see them. Such Bargains are only at Dan Cohen's.

W. H. MEANS, - MANAGER.